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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

This is a petition to extend the time for filing an Appeal Brief in connection with the Notice of Appeal submitted July 15, 2002 in the above-identified patent application. Applicants respectfully request that the deadline be extended for a period of **two months, from SEPTEMBER 15, 2002 up to and including NOVEMBER 15, 2002.**

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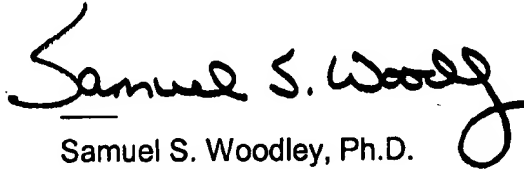
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Respectfully submitted,

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